The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself:—

(*a*) In the case of Forests for which working plans have been sanctioned the purchasers should also abide by the conditions contained therein.

(*b*) Felling should be completed before the 31st December 1934 and complete the removal by the 31st January 1935. No fellings will be allowed in summer after December 1934.

(*c*) Fellings should be made in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe, leaving the standards marked on the area intact along with all the trees less than one foot in girth, trees yielding M. F. P. and all trees and shrubs that are within a radius of six feet from sandal trees, and sapplings. The trees must be felled and coppiced in one operation in such a way that the top of the bark of stump touches the ground and will not be separated from the wood of the stumps and will not be jammed or split and the top of the stump should not exceed six inches in height above ground.

(*d*) He shall stack fuel in the ovens near felling or at the place appointed by the Range Officer and leave timber poles, and logs dressed at the stumps till inspected and passed by the Range Officer.

Each consignment of fuel shall be covered by the passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf and never by private chit of the purchaser or anybody else.

(*e*) If any tree shrub or growth reserved by the department in clause C *supra* is cut he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*f*) He shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of the fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*g*) No operation shall take place in the Forest after sunset or before sunrise.

(*h*) The contract shall not be sublet to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer; cutting or removal by people on the chits of the contractor will not be allowed.

(*i*) He shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers.

(*j*) He shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the fuel paid for, but left unremoved in any of the coupes after 31st January 1935. Extension of time will not be granted under ony circumstance.

(*k*) For any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and the later may after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of the contract enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resale the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause 2 *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

S. VENKATAVARADIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 1st August 1934.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification published on pages 1014-1016, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 9th August 1934, regarding the sale of right of collecting *Minor Forest Produce* in Talkad Plantation.

Date of sale—27th September 1934.

C. A. JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 31st July 1934.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed tender notification calling for tenders for the collection of rough sandalwood in Agumbe Range in the Division published in the *Official Gazette*, dated 9th August 1934, Part VI, pages 1017-1018

The latest date for receiving tenders is 6th September 1934.

Abstract Notification dated the 31st July 1934.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting Cinnomon leaves for distilling oil in Agumbe, Sagar and Nagar Ranges, will be sold in public auction as per detailed notification, dated 31st July 1934, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 16th August 1934, Part VI, page 1049.

SALE OF TIMBER AND SAWN MATERIAL.

Notification dated 11th August 1934.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, or any other officer deputed by him on the dates noted against each depot :—

Sl. No.	Name of depot	Date of sale	Kind of timber	Quantity in C. ft.	Remarks
				C. ft.	
1.	Saw Mill Depot, Shimoga.	26th September 1934.	Teak rafters and planks	2,000	The sale will be held from 8 A.M. to 11 A.M. and again from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. by the District Forest Officer.
			Honne do ..	500	
			Matti do ..	2,000	
			Nandi do ..	500	
			Hunal do ..	..	
			Other jungle wood ..	4,000	
			Total ..	9,000	
2	Kumsi Depot ..	24th September 1934.	Teak poles ..	1,000	This sale will be held by the Forest Sub-Division Officer, Ayanur.

N.B.—The quantities advertised are approximate.

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber not exceeding Rs. 200 in value, this deposit will not be insisted upon provided that the full purchase money is paid in cash on the spot.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, if the amount exceeds Rs. 1,000.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay 10 per cent of the amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment of the one-tenth value as well as the initial deposit of Rs. 200. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter, on account of loss from resale, shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice should be issued to the defaulter, intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. The full value of all timber purchased shall be paid for within 30 days after the date of sale or within 15 days after the date of the notice of confirmation of the sale whichever is later. In case of purchases of above Rs. 1,000 in value, the purchaser shall be permitted to pay up the balance in instalments of not less than Rs. 1,000 provided the full value is paid not later than the (15th May 1935). The money shall be paid into such treasury as the District Forest Officer may direct within the time specified.

8. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser before the dates fixed above, the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser in the manner prescribed for default of payment of one-tenth value in clause 5 *supra*.

9. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, including the 10 per cent deposit paid for the lot at the time of the sale and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the depot. The earnest money will not be adjusted towards the value of timber until 90 per cent of the purchase money over and above the security deposit has been paid.

10. Timber purchased should be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after 15th May 1935. Timber not removed after purchase will remain in the depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

11. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

12. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, for the breach of any of which by the purchaser the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

13. Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 9 per cent per annum from the date of their falling due up to the date of payment.

Notification dated 13*th August* 1934.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that a tiger skin will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or any other officer deputed by him at Shimoga on 6th September 1934 in the District Forest Office, at 2 P.M.

1. Each purchaser shall deposit Rs. 5 with the sale conducting officer. The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned after the conclusion of the sale.

2. The highest bidder shall, immediately after the sale, pay the entire sale amount inclusive of the deposit already paid and remove the skin.

3. The confirmation of the sale rests with the District Forest Officer who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reasons.

Notification dated 16*th August* 1934.

It is hereby informed for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the minor forest produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations for two years from 1st July 1934 to 30th June 1936 will be resold talukwar by public auction on the dates and at the places specified below :—

Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
SHIMOGA DISTRICT.			
1. Kumsi (Sub-Taluk) ..	District Forest Office, Shimoga	Monday, 17th September 1934.	Deputy Commissioner or any other officer deputed by him with the help of the District Forest Officer.
2. Nagar	Do do ..		

Remarks.—(i) Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village "Amarayi" which is sold separately by the Amildar in the Revenue Department.

Village Amarayi consists of the following ten kinds of produce found in the assessed waste, gomal, kharab lands, gavatana and other lands set apart for communal purposes :—

(1) Hunse, (2) Mavu, (3) Seege, (4) Cocoanut, (5) Hippe, (6) Neralu, (7) Halasu, (8) Jali, (9) Honge seeds and leaves, and (10) Byala.

N.B.—(1) The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Description of Produce.

Tamarind fruit
Seege kayi
Gum
Honey
Bees-wax
Kapilarang
Gerubija or marking nut
Wood apple
Lichens
Maradipoppu or charpoppu
Horns
Hides
Tarikayi
Kanchagache
Gallnut
Antavaladakai
Guricharlu
Wild castor seeds (State Fts.)
Kan pepper
Kan cardamom
Masani buds
Halmaddi
Hulgal seeds
Cinnamon seeds
Vatehuli
Bende fibre
Wild olive
Silk cotton
Kirichal (State Forest)
Bendu do
Linseed
Bolar bark
Pot stone
Rampatre or kanpatre
Jungle saffron
Patanga
Bones
Maddi
Chilladabija
Chagachebija
Guggala
Nim seeds
Cashewnut
Pappalichakke
Hippe seeds
Mango fruits
Kalluhuvu
Makliberu (State Forest)
Sogadeberu do
Kakkekayi
Somechekke
Lebi fruit
Inglara
Nili seeds
Nux-vomica

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he (i) produces a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency and its extent or an exchange certificate as provided in clause 5, and (ii) deposits also with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 200 which must be in the form of Cash or Currency Notes.

Note.—In the case of taluks where the minor forest produce revenue may not fetch more than Rs. 200, a sum of Rs. 50 only should be deposited with the sale conducting officer.

5. The highest bidder shall deliver his solvency certificate to the Officer conducting the sale and get in exchange, if he so desires, a certificate signed by the latter which will be a sufficient authority for him to bid at auction sale in any one of the remaining divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer conducting the sale in case the party named therein happens to be the highest bidder obtaining in lieu thereof, if he wishes a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particulars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchase made in the sales of other divisions as well as in the one, in which the exchange certificate is sought for. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests and the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid, without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidders shall, immediately after the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit already made together with the local, railway and other cesses, on the entire lease amount at the rates prevailing in the district. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resales will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government right, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall execute an agreement with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer on a stamped paper of proper value procured at his own cost, and also furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the three-fourths of the original sale amount. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law in force for the time being.

Note.—(i) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(ii) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

10. The balance of three-fourths of sale amount will be paid in three equal instalments as follows :—

First khist	on or before	1st November 1934.
Second	do	1st March 1935.
Third	do	1st July 1935.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government, less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom, which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law in force for the time being.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are—

(*a*) The lessee, his maistries or servants shall not cut or injure any tree in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests. If any sub-lessees are approved, such sub-lessees shall not further sublet it without previous sanction.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee or sub-lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the produce collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit, the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the leases, and the Officers of the Revenue and the Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector respectively.

(*f*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of the produce collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the produce under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Forest Officer, and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest Forms 84 and 85 shall be used.

(*h*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally. They will be liable also under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk before the 30th June 1936, all the produce collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(*j*) Neither the lessee nor sub-lessee, nor his employees, shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*k*) No collection of the minor forest produce will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*l*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee has no right to the produce or trees on occupied lands, and the village Amarai as detailed in para 1 above.

(*n*) No damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the minor forest produce; any such damage will be assessed by the Range Forest Officer, which will be approved by the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of the damages will be final. The assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the lessee.

(*o*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold responsible himself for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

(*p*) Interest will be charged at 9 per cent per annum on all belated payments.

11. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the

District Forest Officer, the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be. In the case of mere forfeiture of the deposit amount, in part, or in full, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and if not, the lease will be cancelled and resold at the risk of the original purchaser, who will be liable for any loss which will become recoverable as an arrear of land revenue but not participate in any profits.

MOHAMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 6th August 1934.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notifications calling for tenders for the following works in the Division published on pages 1050-1052, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 16th August 1934.

1. Uprooting 764 dry Sandal trees in Yemmedoddi Estate, in Kadur Taluk, rough dressing and carting the Sandalwood to Chikmagalur Sandal Koti.
2. Constructing Sandal Patrol Police Out-Post for one Duffedar and two Constables at Malleswara in Kalasa Hobli of Mudgere Taluk.

Abstract Notification dated 9th August 1934.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notifications calling for tenders for (1) carting assorted Sandalwood from Chikmagalur Sandal Koti to Kadur Railway Station and loading the same into waggons, and (2) carting Mathi logs from Basavankote Working Circle Coupes to Kadur Depot, published on pages 1052-1054, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 16th August 1934.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUILDINGS DIVISION, BANGALORE.

Abstract Notification, dated 6th August 1934.

The attention of the public is invited to the Notification calling for tenders for Extension of Glass House in Lal-bagh, Bangalore, published on pages 1018-1019 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 9th August 1934.

The last date for receiving tenders is 31st August 1934.

A. TANDONI RAO,
Executive Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, BANGALORE DIVISION.

Notification, dated Camp Channapatna, 15th August 1934.

It is notified for the information of the public that the Police Station building at Hebbagode in Anekal Taluk will be sold in public auction by the Assistant Engineer, No. I Sub-Division, Bangalore, on the 28th August 1934, at 2 P.M. The intending bidders may be present at the time. The building is situated in Jigani Hobli on Survey No. 69 of Hebbagode village on the right side of 7—13 of Hosur Road and measures 25 feet by 22 feet. The building will be knocked down to the highest bidder who should immediately deposit 25 per cent of the bid and the balance within two days of the confirmation of the sale. The sale is subject to confirmation by the Executive Engineer and other details will be intimated by the Assistant Engineer at the time of auction.

Notification dated 16th August 1934.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, up to 2 P.M., on the 3rd September 1934 for restoring Singasandra Doddakere Minor Tank, Register No. 45 of Kankanhalli Taluk. An approximate estimate of quantities is